Mountain Weather Forecast

Northwest Highlands

Including Sutherland, Ben Wyvis, Wester Ross, The Cuillin, Glen Affric, Glen Shiel and Knoydart
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Monday 13 Jun 2022 until 23:59 on Tuesday 14 Jun 2022

Forecast Issued on Monday 13 Jun 2022 at 02:16 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for a mostly cloudy few days with pulses of rain crossing Northwest Highlands. Lower confidence on day to day rainfall details.

Headline for Monday 13 Jun 2022: Cloudy with occasional rain. Drier, brighter interludes in afternoon away from West Coast. Fresh winds and feeling cold on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Monday 13 Jun 2022

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
Medium Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
Low Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain	Light rain	Light rain	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability					
40%	60%	40%	20%	20%	20%

Forecast for Monday 13 Jun 2022

Weather: Cloudy with rain continuing during the morning. The rain mostly light but some heavier outbreaks over mountains of Knoydart, Skye and Torridon. Drier in the afternoon and evening with brighter interludes in east of area.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30% in the morning, mostly in east of area, improving 60% in afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Misty conditions during the morning with poor visibility in more persistent rain. Also extensive cloud cover well down the hills. Pockets of good visibility in east of area with clouds up around 700m and clouds lifting and breaking more widely during afternoon with visibility become good across many ranges away from West Coast.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	28/33 W	26/33 W	22/29 W	26/34 SW	29/37 SW	26/33 SW	28/36 SW
900	25/30 W	26/32 W	22/29 W	25/33 SW	27/35 SW	25/32 SW	27/35 SW
600	18/23 SW	19/25 SW	17/24 W	20/28 SW	21/29 SW	18/25 SW	19/27 SW
300	3/22 W	8/26 W	7/24 W	8/27 SW	9/29 SW	7/25 SW	6/26 SW
Glen	7/15 W	10/20 W	12/22 W	12/22 SW	12/22 SW	10/21 SW	10/22 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1000	4/-2	5/-0	6/1	4/-2	4/-3	4/-2	4/-2
900	5/-1	6/1	6/2	5/-0	5/-1	4/-1	5/-1
600	7/3	8/4	9/5	8/4	7/3	7/3	7/2
300	9/8	10/8	10/8	11/9	10/8	9/8	9/8
Glen	10/9	11/9	12/10	13/11	12/10	12/10	12/10
Freezing Level*	2100m	2200m	2000m	1600m	1500m	1600m	1700m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Strong winds and single figure temperatures over higher ridges/summits will make it feel unseasonably cold.

Forecast for Tuesday 14 Jun 2022
Weather: Another cloudy day with outbreaks of rain and extensive hill fog. Eastern such as Ben Wyvis will have some direr, brighter interludes, extending to many ranges later in afternoon.

Maximum wind: Fresh to strong southwest winds on the tops, average speeds 20 to 30mph with gusts 40mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 30%, best in east of area.

Low cloud and visibility: Misty conditions with poor visibility in more persistent rain with clouds down about 500 to 600m and some patches lower down near to West Coast. Pockets of good visibility and higher cloud bases in east of area, extending to other areas later in afternoon.

Temperature: **Glens:** 9 Celsius rising to 16 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 8 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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